

CAMDEN COUNTY, NJ

Information based on Congressional districts of the 106th U.S. Congress, 1997

	1997	1992	1987
Farms			
Number	211	188	177
Acreage	9,007	7,799	10,033
Average size (acres)	43	41	57
Median size (acres)	13	N	N
Estimated market value average per farm			
Land/buildings (dollars)	359,339	304,940	234,910
Machinery/equip (dollars)	27,036	30,250	32,345
Cropland (acres)			
Total	6,997	6,285	7,735
Harvested	5,221	5,070	6,154
Irrigated	3,150	2,477	3,983
Agricultural products sold - market value			
(\$1,000)	17,473	8,180	7,923
(dollars avg. per farm)	82,811	43,512	44,761
Agricultural sales - Net cash return per farm			
(dollars average)	37,535	10,105	12,748
Livestock inventory (number)			
Cattle and calves	121	112	163
Beef cows	52	76	D
Milk cows	0	0	D
Hogs and pigs	424	D	337
Sheep and lambs	146	161	154
Layers 13 wks or older	746	706	893
Broilers and chicken (sold)	100	0	D
Harvested commodities (acres)			
Corn, grain or seed	D	273	132
Corn, silage or green chop	0	0	0
Sorghum, grain or seed	N	N	N
Wheat	N	N	N
Barley	N	N	N
Oats	N	N	N
Rice	N	N	N
Sunflowerseed	N	N	N
Cotton	N	N	N
Tobacco	N	N	N
Soybeans	307	276	192
Dry edible beans, excl m's	N	N	N
Potatoes, excl sweet potatoes	N	N	N
Sugarbeets for sugar	N	N	N
Sugarcane for sugar	N	N	N
Peanuts for nuts	N	N	N
Hay-alfalfa	525	535	823
Vegetables			
Number of farms	54	47	58
Acreage	1,845	1,421	1,924

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Orchards			
Number of farms	29	35	33
Acreage	1,208	1,709	2,011

Abbreviations/footnotes:

N represents zero.

0 represents an insignificant amount.

D-W withheld to avoid disclosing data for individual farms.

Source: USDA, NASS, 1997 Census of Agriculture